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1. Enclosed are:

- ☒ A Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, signed.
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- ☐ Priority Document

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| Total Claims | 15 | - 20 = | 0 | x \$18.00 | .00 |
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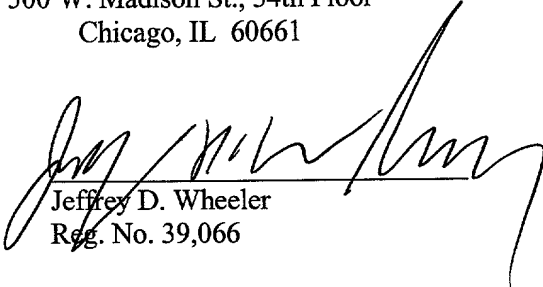
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